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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Sir:  
Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventor: Richard A. Bardini et al

Title: A METHOD OF FLOW CONTROL AND DATA TRANSPORTED USING ISOCHRONOUS PACKETS OVER AN IEEE 1394-2000 SERIAL BUS NETWORK

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.10

I hereby certify that this New Application and the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this date, March 5, 2002, in an envelope bearing "Express Mail Post Office To Addressee" Mailing Label Number EV086240836US addressed to: **PATENT APPLICATION**, Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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Enclosed are:

1. The papers required for filing date under CFR § 1.53(b):  
44 Pages of Specification (including claims); 10 Sheet(s) of Drawings.  
X Formal  
- Informal
2. X Declaration or Oath (combined with power of attorney)
3. X Power of Attorney (combined with declaration)
4. X Assignment of the Invention to Sony Corporation and Sony Electronics, Inc. (including Form PTO-1595).
5. Fee Calculation  
- Amendment changing number of claims or deleting multiple dependencies is enclosed.

CLAIMS AS FILED

	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee
				\$740.00
Total Claims	49 - 20 =	29	\$18.00	522.00
Independent Claims	7 - 3 =	4	\$84.00	336.00
Multiple Dependent claim(s), if any			\$280.00	0.00
			Filing Fee Calculation	\$1,598.00

5. Other Fees  
X Assignment Recordation Fee 40.00  
- Other 0.00  
**TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED \$1638.00**

7. Payment of Fees  
X Check in the amount of \$1638.00 (\$1598.00 for basic filing fee plus \$40.00 assignment recordation fee) enclosed.

3. X Authorization to Charge Additional Fees  
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